

# The Didsbury Pioneer

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## Didsbury Hockey Club Open Season Here Wednesday, Dec. 10, Camrose Opposing

Schedule for the Central Alberta Hockey League was received this week by Didsbury team officials and the local season is slated to open here Wednesday, December 10, with Camrose providing the opposition. Ice will be available in the arena at any time now and meanwhile players are working out at the Westcott skating rink.

A good deal of time, work and worry have gone into Didsbury's entry in class "A" intermediate hockey and the whole-hearted support of the town and district is essential to make the venture a success.

Meeting Saturday night the executive appointed J. Hogg and G. Wilkins as equipment managers; J. Tugle and J. Currie, publicity; R. Shantz, public address; J. Cathness, transportation.

The opening date, mentioned above is Dec. 10, next Wednesday, and elsewhere on this page a complete list of home and away games appears. Playoffs for the league start on Tuesday, Feb. 17.

### Post Mail Early For Christmas

Members of the post office staff are squaring away for the rush of Christmas and hope that everyone will mail cards and parcels early. Postmaster H. Morgan reports that those who want mail to reach local addresses should mail their cards by December 17. Parcels going to the United States should be mailed before Dec. 8 to allow for customs inspection. Newfoundland addresses are sometimes remote and all mail there should be away by December 11. Maritime provinces mail should be sent by December 12. Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba and B.C. mail should be sent by December 13; Alberta and Saskatchewan mail by December 15.

Please remember there will be no mail delivery on Christmas Day.

Early mailing means: Normal and prompt delivery of your parcel in good condition, eliminating possibility of disappointment; assistance of inestimable value to the post office inasmuch as it provides a normal flow of mail and thus eliminates "bottle-necks"; eliminates standing in line to purchase stamps, mail parcels, etc.; business men can assist the post office at the busy period of the year by delivering their mail early in the day.

Two cents is now the rate on individually addressed Christmas cards, unenclosed and in unsealed envelopes. The postmaster also requests that Christmas cards be tied in bundles with the addresses all facing one way.

### WESTERDALE

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The auction sale of bazaar articles and program which was held last Wednesday evening at the hall was fairly well attended. Approximately \$33 was raised from the sale. The program was very enjoyable and appreciative thanks are extended to all who took part.

Mr. L. Jones has been a patient in the Olds hospital for the past week suffering from a severe chest cold.

A dance will be held in the Westerdale hall on Friday, Dec. 12, with the Merry-makers orchestra providing the music.

An enjoyable evening of square dancing was held at the hall last Thursday evening. Another evening of square dancing will be held this Thursday at 8:30 p.m.

Mr. William White of delvin has been staying at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. Jackson, for the past week or so, recuperating from a severe cold.

### CARNIVAL PRIZE WON BY MRS. GORDON WEBER

Final prize to be claimed in the recently completed shopping carnival, an electric mixer, was won by Mrs. Gordon Weber, with ticket No. 35912.

### C.P.R. TRAIN TIMES AT DIDSBURY

**NORTHBOUND:**  
No. 521—(flag stop) 1:10 a.m. daily.  
No. 527—10:04 a.m. (flag stop) Sundays only.  
No. 523—11:21 daily except Sunday.  
No. 525—6:21 a.m. daily.  
**SOUTHBOUND:**  
No. 522—4:59 a.m. daily.  
No. 524—12:23 Noon daily.  
No. 526—5:00 p.m. daily except Sunday.  
No. 528—6:21 p.m. (flag stop) Sundays only.



**RON BRUMWELL**, local hockey product, has been trying out with the Didsbury entry in the Central Alberta Hockey League, and will probably be in action in the opener here on Dec. 10 against Camrose Canadians.

### WEST NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoggood were Calgary visitors on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. O. Thompson took the latter's mother, Mrs. Buck, as far as Calgary last Thursday, where she took the bus for California. She was accompanied by Miss Janet Block of Didsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogg spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cowitz.

Mrs. J. Hoggood visited with Mrs. J. Hughes Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Niddrie of Mount spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Konechuh of Red Deer spent the weekend visiting relatives in the district. The Ruby W. I. held a whist drive at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Thompson and six tables were in play. Honors went to Mrs. H. Hoggood and Mr. H. Luft. Consolation winners were Mrs. Blain and Mr. J. Bagshaw.

### School Staff Host To Local Board

The Didsbury school staff was host to the local school board members and their wives at an informal gathering last week. The guests had opportunity to visit classrooms and the shop in the two main buildings. Mr. Wiggins, school principal, showed several films of the type used in classroom teaching. Following lunch served by the ladies of the staff, Mr. Oke thanked the staff for the pleasant evening. He complimented both the staff and the caretaker, Mr. Wood, for the excellent condition of the school. Mrs. Banta replied on behalf of the planning committee.

Miss Wilson has returned to her grade one room following a lengthy illness. Mrs. Staunton has been substituting in the room for the past two months.

Grades three and four are in the midst of parent-teacher conferences. These conferences are designed to supplement the regular report card and give the parents an opportunity to see their child's classroom and teacher. If your child is in grades three or four please make every effort to keep your appointment.

Christmas Seals fight TB.

### Central Alta. Hockey League Schedule

**HOME GAMES**  
Wednesday, Dec. 10—Camrose.  
Wednesday, Dec. 17—Stettler.  
Saturday, Dec. 20—Alta.  
Saturday, Dec. 27—Lacombe.  
Thursday, Jan. 1—Olds.  
Saturday, Jan. 3—Ponoka.  
Wednesday, Jan. 7—Camrose.  
Thursday, Jan. 10—Alta.  
Wednesday, Jan. 21—Stettler.  
Saturday, Jan. 24—Red Deer.  
Tuesday, Jan. 27—Olds.  
Thursday, Feb. 3—Ponoka.  
Tuesday, Feb. 10—Red Deer.  
Saturday, Feb. 14—Lacombe.

**AWAY GAMES**  
Saturday, Dec. 13—Olds.  
Tuesday, Dec. 23—Red Deer.  
Friday, Dec. 26—Olds.  
Monday, Dec. 29—Ponoka.  
Monday, Jan. 12—Alta.  
Thursday, Jan. 15—Stettler.  
Saturday, January 17—Lacombe.  
Tuesday, January 20—Camrose.  
Monday, Jan. 26—Red Deer.  
Saturday, Jan. 31—Ponoka.  
Tuesday, Feb. 3—Camrose.  
Saturday, Feb. 7—Alta.  
Monday, Feb. 9—Lacombe.  
Thursday, Feb. 12—Stettler.  
League playoffs will commence Tuesday, Feb. 17.

### ROYAL CANADIAN AIR CADETS SEEK RECRUITS FROM DIDSBURY

No. 185 Squadron Royal Canadian Air Cadets, Olds, would like to invite boys between the ages of 14 and 18 to enroll in the squadron. Meetings are held every Tuesday evening, from 7:30 to 9:30, in the Olds Armories. Classes in rifle range, radio, light flying training, engines and first aid are conducted.

All boys are eligible to go to summer camp which is held at Patricia Bay or Abbotsford, B.C. Exchange trips to European countries and the U.S., as well as a place on the international drill team, are available to worthy cadets. Flying scholarships are also available to cadets.

Any boys interested will be welcomed any Tuesday night, so come on up.

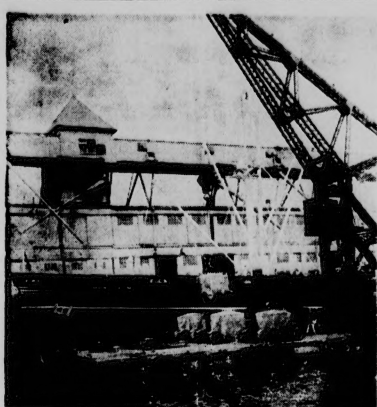
### Parent-Teacher Talks To Be Held Here

A new method of imparting the progress of children in the local school has been inaugurated by the principal, Mr. E. T. Wiggins in grades three and four and will go into operation shortly.

It has often been felt that conventional report cards are not adequate in describing the needs and progress of individual pupils. As an experiment, parent-teacher conferences in the above grades are being arranged in an effort to meet this need.

The individual conferences will take place in the classroom after school hours, where the parents will have the opportunity to see the work which is being done, not only by their own children but the class as a whole. Questions and comments will be welcomed.

Appointment notices are being sent out and the full co-operation of all parents is essential to make the experiment successful.



**GUNS FOR PORTUGAL**—Part of the 32 heavy 3.27 anti-aircraft guns destined for Lisbon, Portugal, are shown here being swung aboard the Canadian freighter, Montclair. The shipment, along with shells for the guns, is a Canadian contribution under the NATO agreement.

### J. A. Orde Dies At West Coast

Mr. J. A. Orde passed away at the coast Saturday morning after a short illness. He was an old timer of about 12 years ago to make his home at the coast. He had been a patient in the Burnaby hospital with pneumonia and shortly after his return home he succumbed to a heart attack.

Surviving are his wife, Winnifred; 3 daughters, Mrs. Mann of Alhambra, Mrs. Robertson of Trail, B.C., and Marjorie, at home. Mr. Orde was a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogg.

Funeral services will be held today (Wednesday) at Burnaby.

### FALLEN TIMBER NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

We were sorry to hear that Jack Wannamaker had the misfortune to roll his car over a 25-foot embankment. However it was fortunate he was uninjured.

Mr. George Admussen and Mr. Glenn Cooper had the good fortune to get a really big moose. We also hear that the Teynor, Money and Roberts party got some deer and moose.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Roberts of Wrentham have been visiting here for some time but have now returned home.

Mr. W. Roberts had the misfortune to step on a four-inch spike and she was accompanied home by Mrs. Binnie Teynor who will help out until she recovers.

Little Colleen Teynor spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. B. Money.

The McGaffin family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Money and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Admussen visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper last week. Mrs. Admussen and children also visited Mrs. Glenn Cooper and twins, Michael and Murray.

Mrs. O. Moore is staying in Calgary for a time.

We are sorry to hear that some of the Staff family have been ill with the flu.

### Three Persons Hurt In Highway Accident

Three persons are in Didsbury hospital with fractured legs as a result of an accident on No. 2 highway at the north end of Carstairs around 2:30 p.m. Wednesday of last week.

Injured were Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer of Edmonton and Miss Edith Savage of Moncton, N.B., who was visiting at their home.

The mishap occurred when the north-bound car left the highway and ran into a pile of earth alongside an excavation for the new sewage disposal plant at Carstairs.

Miss Savage was unconscious for several hours, and five bottles of blood were sent by the Calgary Red Cross branch for administration to the accident victim.

### DANCE NETS \$47.75 FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

The dance held at Mountain View hall on Nov. 28 netted \$47.75 for the Crippled Children's Hospital. The dance was sponsored by the orchestra, which consisted of Shirley Rieder, Betty, Claire and Mervyn Gill. Following is a financial statement for the dance:

Door receipts	\$97.00
Orchestra donation	15.00
Total receipts	\$112.00
Hall rent	\$17.00
Lunch	15.30
Tickets and ad	95
Orchestra	35.00
Total expenses	\$68.25
Net proceeds	\$43.75

### East Notes

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pross and Mrs. Pross Sr. of Didsbury, spent Sunday, Nov. 23, with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pross and Lola.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott spent last Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Brander and family were business visitors in Calgary on Friday, Nov. 21.

Mrs. Joe Hunter and Shirley Strang called on the former's parents last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker and Beverly, Gloria and Joyce called on Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner last Thursday evening.

Teddy Weale called on Donald Thompson Sunday.

Reginald Schumaker and Leslie spent the weekend with their parents. Later in the evening Jessie and Stanley called on them too.

Miss Goetjen spent the weekend at her home west of Didsbury.

### YOUNG COUPLE HONORED AT SHOWER FRIDAY EVENING

Friday evening, Nov. 21, about 100 guests gathered in the Lutheran Church basement to shower Miss Beatrice Berreth and her fiancé, John Folkmann Jr.

During the evening games and entertainment were enjoyed. One item, a demonstration on "Bathing Baby" drew roars of laughter from the group.

The bride-elect and her fiancé were then led to a decorated table laden with beautiful and useful gifts, including a dinner set from some of their friends. In a few well chosen words John and Beatrice thanked their many friends, after which a delicious lunch was served to end a very pleasant evening.

### Blood Donor Clinic Here Thursday

Tomorrow (Thursday) is the date set for the Blood Donor Clinic in Didsbury and it will be held in the Evangelical Church basement from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Appointment cards have been mailed but you are reminded that if the time stated is not convenient you will be accepted at any time during the three hours of the clinic. New donors may sign registration cards at the office of Toiber Bros.

The ever-increasing need for blood creates a challenge for those of us fortunate enough to be in good health. Many people of the district have benefited greatly by having the Blood Transfusion Service made available to them at the time of their need.

Records show that Didsbury's usage of blood per hospital bed is among the highest in the province. Be on time for your appointment if possible but, most important, be there some time.

### MELVIN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The district mourns the passing of a long-time friend and neighbor, George Youngs, and their heartfelt sympathy goes out to the bereaved family. George will be sadly missed in the community.

Miss Margery Chandler spent the weekend at the home of her parents.

Rickey and Cindy Roberts spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Krebs.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Krebs were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Roberts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNaughton attended the O.S.A. Alumni dance in Olds Friday evening. Gordon returned home with them for the weekend.

Harold Krebs returned from Hanna where he was employed, the outfit having closed down for a time.

Bruce Gibson of Lavoys spent several days last week visiting at the home of his cousins, Ruth and Harold Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sanderman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Symington and Ralph visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Krebs on Sunday. Other visitors at the Krebs' home were Mrs. M. Cowitz and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowitz.

Mrs. M. Cowitz spent last week at the home of her son, Alvie, at Bowness.

Mr. and Mrs. Clary Youngs and son left Monday for their home in Saskatoon, after spending the past week with Clary's mother and brother.

Walton Youngs of Edmonton also spent several days last week with his folks returning on Thursday to Edmonton. He is now home again for another week.

### ATTACKED BY WILDCAT; CALGARIAN WINS FIGHT

It's a dangerous situation when both a wildcat and a man are stalking the same deer. As Don Irwin of Calgary can testify.

Hunting in the Kananaskis forest, Irwin shot the deer and was being stalked by a wildcat. A wildcat jumped on his back. The hunter received a good mauling before he could shake the angry beast from him, and end the attack with a bullet.

### Flood Of Pork At Yule Feared

Manitoba contends that the Canadian government may cause a flood of pork on Christmas markets if it proceeds with its plan to cut the hog price support by three cents a pound next month.

Two other provinces—Ontario and Nova Scotia—joined Monday with Agriculture Minister R. D. Robertson of Manitoba in an appeal for retention of the federal 26-cent-a-pound pork floor until the American market is reopened next March 1.

The appeal was voiced at the 14th annual federal-provincial agricultural conference which heard a federal livestock expert predict a further drop in meat prices in 1953, both in Canada and the U.S.

The federal government has announced its plan to cut the hog floor price to 23 cents January 1.

### DIDSBURY MARKETS

BUTTERFAT	
Delivery Basis at Crystal Dairy	
Special	63c
No. 1	61c
No. 2	52c
Off Grade	46c
Table	71c



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20 oz. tins 2 for 39c

Loganberries, Aylmer,  
15 oz. tins 33c

Tomatoes, R & W,  
28 oz. tins 2 for 63c

Corn, R & W,  
20 oz. tins 2 for 43c

Christmas Cards, 21 to  
a box, assorted 65c

Whole Kernel Corn,  
R & W, 14 oz. tins,  
2 for 45c

Cake Mix, Little Dip-  
per, White or Choco-  
late, pkg. 29c

Bleach, R & W,  
26 oz. bottle 27c

Jap Oranges,  
Per box \$1.85

Mince-meat, Burns',  
24 oz. glass 42c

Catsup,  
20 oz. tins, each 25c

Blackberry Jam, R & W,  
48 oz. tins 90c

Maraschino Cherries,  
Red or Green, 6 oz.  
bottle 33c

Tomatoes, Twin Oaks,  
20 oz. tins 2 for 45c

Bing Cherries,  
15 oz. tins, each 30c

Soup, Delmar, 3 pkgs.  
to bundle, each 31c

Virginia Peanuts, fresh  
stock, 2 lbs. 75c

Sliced Pineapple,  
Table Talks, 20  
oz. tins 37c

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others.

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Radiant Heaters, Fireplace In-  
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FOR SALE — Registered Hereford  
Bull Calves. Apply to B. A. Atkin-  
son, east of town. 1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank Drs. Burgess and  
McKenzie, the hospital staff and  
my many friends who visited me  
while I was a patient in the hospi-  
tal. 1tc

JAMES NELSON

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank our neighbors  
and friends for the kind expressions  
of sympathy, for the many floral  
tributes and cards during our re-  
cent sad bereavement. 1tc

MAY YOUNGS and FAMILY

### LIVESTOCK PRICES

#### DECLINE IN U.S.

Prices received by U.S. farmers  
for meat animals as of Sept. 15  
averaged 6 per cent lower than a  
month earlier and 15 per cent be-  
low a year ago. The meat animal  
price index in Sept. at 349 (1910=1)  
equals 100; was at its lowest point  
since June, 1950.

Average price received per cwt.  
by all farmers as of Sept. 15 were:  
hogs \$19.10 down \$1.50 from the  
previous month; veal calves \$26  
down \$1.10 from the previous  
month; beef cattle \$23.80 down  
\$1.10; lambs \$24.10 down \$1.50 and  
sheep \$9.16 down 54 cents. Sub-  
stantially increased marketings ac-  
count for a large share of these de-  
creases.



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FOR SALE — One 50-ft. lot, north  
end of town on water line. Apply  
W. A. Sherrick, phone 1103. 11-1t

FOR RENT—House, consisting of  
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bathroom, water and sewage. Im-  
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about one year old, branded on  
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FOR SALE — Hardwood Kitchen  
Suite, table and four chairs with  
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FOR SALE — White enamel stove,  
pool grates, warming oven and  
detachable reservoir, \$30; Refrig-  
erator, freezing unit recently  
overhauled, \$85; electric heater,  
\$5; English style baby buggy, \$10;  
cabinet radio, \$30; carriage can,  
\$1; garden tools, any offer. Apply  
to Will Skerry, opposite Evangel-  
ical Church. 49-3tc

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new, 16" oven, copper reservoir,  
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Clair or phone 711. 47-3tp

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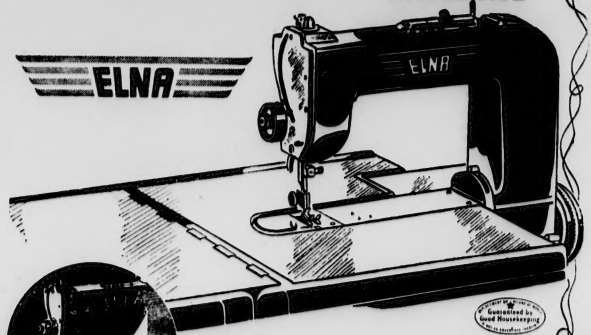
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Through The  
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(By Rev. C. C. Armstrong)

Residents in town have been aware of the murky condition of the water from the town well. Now it is clear again, for which we are thankful. Those of us who use water, undistilled, as a beverage, have been speculating as to its effect inside of us. And, after a bath one is left wondering, like a person on a diet, whether you have put on or taken off. The water was about the same color before and after and even the imprint on the towel was no sure proof of the efficiency of the bathing.

In spite of the soap operas and the alleged virtues of suds, people have used a variety of substitutes. Mineral waters, hot sand, peat earth, milk, whey and human blood have all been used in the bath. There were other substances even more peculiar and revolting.

All this leads one to consider the relationship of cleanliness, which is next to Godliness. The traditional Saturday night bath is intended to get children cleaned, scrubbed and polished in preparation for Sunday School the following morning. No doubt adults also dunk themselves as occasion demands, but with them the follow-up Sunday is not so evident as it once was.

There are times when all of us feel that the world is in a mess and things need to be cleaned up. The more war-like talk of cleaning up on others with a varied assortment of tanks, planes and guns. More spiritually-minded people point in a different direction. "Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord? He that hath clean hands and a pure heart. Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean; seek justice, correct oppression." Spiritual cleansing may leave us with red cheeks or burning ears, but it leaves us with clean hands and a pure heart. A doctor has to "scrub" before an important operation. A scrub before the important operation of worship is also excellent practice. Particularly at Christmas, when our thoughts turn to the coming of the New Born King, we should not be content with a wash that is "once over, lightly," but not stop until we are spiritually white as snow.

Let me remind parents of the Baby Band meeting, three o'clock Tuesday, Dec. 9. This will be the last meeting of the Band before Christmas.

## WHEAT RACKET IN U.S.

Investigations in the United States have revealed a racket in which a considerable quantity of low grade Canadian wheat, labelled as unfit for human consumption and imported under a special low rate of duty, has been milled and sold to the public. A further quantity has been blended with U.S. wheat and exported under terms of the International Wheat Agreement. On wheat exported under this agreement the

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2. Avoid thin seeding, especially of rye and barley.
3. Use ergot-free seed if possible. The small and broken ergot bodies that cannot be removed by fanning can either be taken out by hand picking, if a small quantity is to be cleaned, or by rotation in a brine solution. Two pounds of salt per Imperial gallon will make a 20 per cent solution which is just about right for the job. Immerse the seed and then stir thoroughly to float the ergot bodies to the surface where they can be easily removed. Follow this by rinsing thoroughly with clear water so as to wash the salt out of the grain, and then spread out to dry.
4. If seed containing ergot is used, be sure to seed at least two inches deep and avoid spilling seeds on the surface of the soil. Infected plants in a small area will spread the disease.
5. Rotate rye or other susceptible crops with resistant crops such as oats or legumes. Rotating with wheat is satisfactory if the wheat is not intended for registration.
6. Mow the grass margins and old edges between the flowering period of the grain.

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government then pays a bonus which has been running at 70 cents a bushel. Thus on the exports of this low grade grain shippers have been receiving a substantial bonus to which they were not entitled. Just what volume is involved is not yet known but in four months last winter it is believed that about a million bushels were exported, on which a bonus of around \$700,000 was paid.

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**RED DEER RIVER SYSTEM POPULAR ANGLING WATERS**

The waters of the Red Deer River Drainage System attracted most sport fishermen in 1950 and 1951, according to a study of sports fishing prepared by the Fisheries Branch of the Department of Lands and Forests.

The analysis of the fishing trips of 20,000 Alberta fishermen showed that 3,270 fishing trips were made in the Red Deer River area in 1951 and 3,130 in 1950. Next popular fishing spot in 1951 was the West Bow River-Jumping Pound-Elbow River area in which had 2,480 visits. The number of fishing trips made into the East Bow River-Carseland and Sheep-Highwood-Pekisko districts dropped in 1951 due to high and muddy water, while fishing in Waterton-St. Mary's River-Belly River area showed the most significant increase—1,520 trips compared with 903 in 1950.

Although attracting most fishermen, the catch in the Red Deer River area was down substantially in 1951. From a study of ten per

cent of fishing permits, the Fisheries Branch has found that a total of 127,880 fish were caught in the Red Deer River Drainage in 1950 but only 76,270 in 1951.

The total catch per square mile during 1951 was greatest in the Upper Oldman River-Castle-Crowsnest area. Last year the average catch was 48.4 fish, compared with 31.6 in the Red Deer Drainage or the lowest catch of 4.9 fish per square mile in the Upper Macleod River.

Fishermen consistently caught the most fish during 1951 in the Upper Oldman River Drainage area. The average catch per angler there was 32.3 while the average catch in the Upper Macleod which had reached a high of 38.4 in 1950 dropped to 22 in 1951. Poorest catch in 1951 was in the East Bow River-Carseland district where the average angler caught only about seven fish.

Christmas Seals have helped to reduce tuberculosis from the first cause of death in 1912 to eighth in 1950.

**WAS IT A SAUCER AT WETASKIWIN?**

Appearance of a strange object travelling at great speed over Wetaskiwin was reported by at least a score of residents recently.

According to one observer, William Draayer, publisher of the Westaskiwin Times who saw it from the front door of his plant, after being told about it in a telephone call, the object was almost directly south of the city and was climbing perpendicularly at a great speed with a vapor trail following it like a skyrocket.

It suddenly leveled off and the vapor trail vanished and the object struck out at a right angle northward until it had passed over the city.

The height was so great that the form of the object could not be discerned. The incident took place about 4 p.m. as the sun was about to set and as it made its abrupt change in course the sun rays could be seen glinting off it.

Many of those who saw it were emerging from a main street theatre at the time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baerg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor and family, all of Acme, and Mr. William Taylor of Calgary were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Collinge.

#### RUGBY BLUEBELLS HOLD MONTHLY MEETING

The Rugby Bluebells regular monthly meeting was held at the home of Maxine Hosegood with 15 members and two visitors present.

The report of the Olds convention was given by Maxine Hosegood. Samples of cookies and cakes were brought by the girls.

A talk on cooking was given by Vera Befus and the "bit of fun" was given by Delores Boettger.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mary Lou and Lillian Hoegarde on December 13.

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### SPRINGSIDE NOTES

An enjoyable evening of whist was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Collinge, at which nine tables were in play. Honors for ladies were taken by Mrs. Art Jackson and men's honors went to Jim Peterson. Consolations went to Mrs. Frank Jackson and Lloyd Kershaw. The traveling prize was won by Miss M. Rodney.

A card party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Chandler Friday evening, Nov. 28, with eight tables being in play. Honors went to Mrs. Gus Olson and Lorne Chandler, and consolations went to Mrs. McDonald and Art Jackson. The traveling prize was also taken by Mrs. McDonald.

The next card party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morton on Friday, Dec. 5.

### CREMONA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HOLDS NOVEMBER MEETING

November meeting of Cremona W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. C. Franklin on November 19 with 12 members and four visitors present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Schultz, Mrs. Franklin, vice-president, took the chair.

Meeting opened by singing O Canada and repeating the creed. Roll call was answered by naming a famous woman and why she was famous.

A report on the tea held during the month was given by the secretary, Joy Miram, of Cremona.

Mrs. R. B. Reid won the raffle for the day. The December meeting will be in the form of a potluck dinner, to be held at Mrs. McEln's on December 11, at which all will exchange Christmas gifts.

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3rd Sunday in Month: 7:30 p.m. Didsbury.  
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5th Sunday in Month: 11:00 a.m. Didsbury.  
3:00 p.m. Rugby.  
Servers to be announced.

### NOTES FROM D.A.

HUGH MCPHAIL

#### Potatoes and Zinc Sulphate

Last spring I had enquiries as to the value of the above material and its effect on potatoes. The following article indicates that we shall have to wait some time before we shall have any accurate results.

"Great interest has been shown by potato growers in a recent press release about the possibility of using zinc sulphate to increase potato yields. Perhaps more was read into the release than was intended, for the work on which it was based is still experimental. It is not recommended at present that growers use zinc sulphate as a seed treatment, or as a supplementary fertilizer."

In reporting more fully on the work being done at Charlottetown Experimental Station, Assistant Plant Pathologist L. C. Calbeck, says that the studies developed as an interesting off-shoot in testing new potato fungicides.

At present zinc is the only metal other than copper that has found its way into P.E.I.'s commercial plantings, reaching them chiefly in the form of zinc sulphate. For this reason the element zinc has been given priority in this new phase of fungicide research.

Tests have been conducted for two years and although small increases have resulted from treating the seed in zinc sulphate solutions, from incorporating zinc in the soil, and from including zinc sulphate in the copper spray mixture, no real conclusions can be drawn from the results of these experiments. The tests were conducted in the laboratory plot area near Charlottetown and it is conceivable that the results might be quite different if the tests were carried out on other soils. Tests in other areas have been set out this season.

In conclusion, Mr. Calbeck emphasizes that these studies are still in the early stage of experimentation; that considerable research will have to be done before definite conclusions can be reached; and that it is not recommended that potato growers use zinc sulphate as a seed treatment, or use a supplementary fertilizer. Rather, he suggests they should "wait and see."

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## GET THAT VARMIN'T!

The provincial coyote control program using the cyanide guns has been widely accepted in Alberta. There are now 59 municipalities (including Improvement Districts) where this program is in operation, such areas extending from the southern boundary of the Peace River country. During the year nearly 10,000 "coyote getters" have been distributed to the participating municipalities. The program in all areas is very active now, due to the warm and open fall providing ideal conditions for using the getters. A large quantity of sent, posters and shells are being shipped daily to post officers in keeping up the activity.

Results with these "coyote getters" are very good. Some farmers have reported as many as 50 coyotes destroyed during this summer and fall. Because the "getters" are usually set relatively close to the farmland, it is the "sheep-killers" that are picked up first. For that reason such kills are much more significant to the farmer than in discriminate elimination of the coyote.

Many farmers are still writing directly to the office at Edmonton for the supply of guns. We wish to repeat that such guns are only available through the municipal offices and all inquiries should be directed to such offices. The policy calls for the municipality to apply

## GOING BACK TO THE DARK AGES

A certain minister in Rocky Mountain House has his congregation worked up to the point of publicly burning a copy of the newly revised version of the Holy Bible. This might be a great publicity gag but does not savor of religious tolerance and sincerity. Many records were available to the translators of the new revised version that were not available to the King James translators. Some of the newer findings were a thousand years older than the manuscripts used by the King James version. All translators find it difficult to transpose the exact shade of meaning from one language to another, but conscientious scholars do the best they know how. Let's not cater to such bigotry as refusing to accept the clearer meaning—*Amuse Canadian*

for these guns which in turn are distributed to the farmers and ranchers who need them in the district.

The poison 1080 is again being used in the province, but its use is definitely restricted to the extreme southern parts of the province, particularly along the Milk River ridge. Because of the many dangers associated with this poison its use is confined to the very sparsely populated areas of the province.

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## FULL STORY RELEASED ON 1926 CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS

For the first time Bruce Hutchison, well-known Canadian writer, has revealed the full fantastic story of how William Lyon Mackenzie King outwitted opposition leader Arthur Meighen, Governor-General Byng and a host of parliamentary enemies, to retain power for the Liberals in the amazing Constitutional Crisis of 1926.

Writing in MacLean's magazine, Hutchison recalls the great Customs Scandal which was uncovered by the Tories soon after the Liberals' majority had been swept away in the general election. King was governing only with the support of twenty-five Progressives, and some Independents. The graft scandal—which showed that customs men were involved in large-scale smuggling—cost the Liberals their extra support and the government suffered defeat in the House.

Hutchison says: "It soon appeared that the Government had lost all control of the House... King's personal fortune had reached rock bottom... a statement which was not even adjoined the house clearly was dead." But it was then that King played his first master card. He demanded dissolution of parliament.

This was not granted by Governor-General Byng. Legend had always held that King subtly courted Byng's refusal. But, the Maclean's points out, King asked the Governor-General three times to grant it. When Byng refused, King called on Meighen to form a government. King played his ace.

In perhaps the greatest parliamentary performance of his life he held that Byng's act violated constitutional tradition. In that the Governor-General had refused the advice of his minister, that Meighen was not in fact prime minister, that there was no real federal government in existence.

Hutchison comments: "In such a crisis who would remember a minor Customs scandal?" In any case, King forced a vote through the House that the Meighen government "if legal had no right to sit in the House, if illegal had no right to transact business." He won, by one solitary vote, and Meighen resigned. King won the subsequent election without trouble.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

God, the One Mind, created and governs the Universe, including Man. The reasoning fact will be brought out in Christian Science churches on Sunday, when the Lesson-Sermon will be "God the Only Cause and Creator". It includes this glorious affirmation by the Prophet Isaiah: "Lift up your eyes on high, and behold who hath created these things, that bringeth out their host number; he calleth them all by names by the greatness of his might, for that he is strong in power; not one faileth." (Isa. 40: 26). And from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The substance, Life, intelligence, Truth, and Love, which constitute Deity, are reflected by His Creation; and when we subordinate the false testimony of the corporeal senses to the facts of Science, we shall see this true likeness and reflection everywhere." (1516: 4-8).

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## CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN RUNNING IN HIGH GEAR

The 1952 Christmas Seal campaign is now running in high gear, according to D. W. Robertson, chairman of the Red Deer Rotary Club Christmas Seal committee, and collections at the end of the second week total \$4,250 for Red Deer and Central Alberta, toward an objective of \$18,000.

Provincial returns reported by officials of the Alberta Tuberculosis Association now amount to \$17,500, slightly higher than at the same period last year. Alberta's 1952 objective is \$210,000.

Ninety per cent of Alberta's Christmas Seal funds is spent in the province on chest X-ray surveys and other diagnostic services, rehabilitation, health education, nursing and welfare services for TB families and contacts. Ten per cent of money raised here goes to the Canadian Tuberculosis Association for Christmas Seal supplies, educational material and the national office.

Alberta's two Christmas Seal Mobile X-ray units have now given more than 800,000 free chest X-rays to residents of the province and X-ray equipment has been installed through Christmas Seal funds in twenty-one Alberta hospitals for routine chest X-ray of admissions. Hundreds of cases of unsuspected TB have been discovered through this means, and also large numbers of other abnormal conditions including heart disease and cancer.

Christmas Seal contributions are income tax deductible and receipts will be sent on request. Contributions should be sent to the Central Alberta T.B. Christmas Seal Committee, Box 27, Red Deer, Alberta.

## LONE PINE ORIOLES MEET AT MISS JEAN ELLIOTT'S HOME

On November 21, members of the Lone Pine Orioles Girls' Club met at the home of Miss Jean Elliott. The role was read and roll call was answered by six members. The minutes of the previous meeting were also read and adopted. It was decided to have a Christmas fish pond instead of drawing names for presents. Book covers will be judged next month.

The ten cent draw netted 70c and was won by Gloria Schumaker. The contest was won by Beverly Thompson for the juniors and Gloria Schumaker for the seniors.

The meeting closed and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

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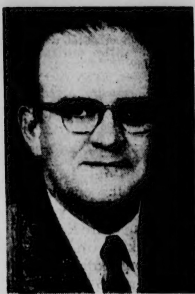
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## DISTRICT NEWS

### M.V.B.C. NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The students of the College had a skating party on the pond near Fra Stauffer's on Friday evening. They were the guests of Dorothy Stauffer for lunch. The evening was most enjoyable.

A number of the students attended the dedication services of the Ross Carrock United Missionary Church in Calgary Sunday afternoon. President Taylor took part in the service. Rev. Charles Nelson, a graduate of this College is pastor at Ross Carrock.

Students were engaged in services on Sunday in the following fields: Calgary, Cremona, Eckville, Davenport and the Moravian church.

We are happy to announce that groups of students will again take the service on alternate Sundays in the Moravian church west of town. For the last two winters students have taken services there when their own pastor was unable to come. This is being continued again until they secure a full-time minister of their own.

Donations of eggs, meat and other provisions have been gratefully received in the kitchen. We want to thank these good friends for their interest and help, and trust they will come in some day to visit the College, sit in the classes and mingle with students and faculty around the tables in the dining room. Good food? Yes, because they help, and then there is always our very good cook, Mrs. Habermehl, who knows just how to use what is brought.

Friday evening was a festive occasion in the dining hall of the College. Outside students and faculty joined those in residence around a beautifully set banquet table. We celebrated the American Thanksgiving again this year, with a lovely turkey dinner. We do have a number of American students and the College decided to help them celebrate that important day, for it is a most important one in the United States. We appreciate these students and members of the faculty who came from across the line, and trust we will always have this wonderful co-operation in the school which now exists.

Mr. G. Lyle Richardson was chairman for the evening. After the nicely served meal, he directed a fellowship meeting wherein students and faculty testified of the blessing of God in their lives. It will be a time long remembered.

Yes, the Choral Society did have an evening of fun and "getting-acquainted" last Monday evening. Mr. Jack Robertson was chairman of the occasion. Mrs. Mullins supervised the lunch, while Miss Robertson took charge of the games. Everyone fully enjoyed the event and possibly they will now be ready to sing as never before, because everyone laughed with everyone else and because they played together a bit also. Oh, yes, they ate together too, and it was a good lunch.

Mrs. M. A. Finlay, mother of Mrs. Donald Taylor, was the guest speaker in the United Missionary Church on Sunday morning. In the afternoon she spoke in the Mountain View Church as well. Mrs. Finlay has spoken in many of the churches on behalf of the extension program of the church.

### BURNSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH TO SPONSOR WHIST DRIVE

A whist drive sponsored by the Burnside Anglican Church will be held in Burnside School on the evening of Wednesday, Dec. 10. Every body welcome.

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### WESTCOTT NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The sympathy of this district is extended to Mrs. George Youngs and family in the sudden passing of Mr. Youngs. The deceased was well known, not only in the Didsbury district but throughout the municipality of Mountain View, having served for many years as a returning officer.

In the service held at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Didsbury, on Sunday morning, the christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Korschuh took place, and the names Stanley James were bestowed on him. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Korschuh are God-parents. The child's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Korschuh of Calgary, were present for the occasion.

Mrs. Herbert Goetjen spent a few days in Calgary last week where she had gone for a medical check-up.

Mrs. Ethel Korschuh, teacher at the Westcott school, held a card party in the school on Wednesday evening for the purpose of raising funds for the children's Christmas treat. However, only four tables were in play due to lack of co-operation by the weatherman. It is understood that another such party is to be held on Dec. 10 for the same purpose and everyone is welcome.

Miss Connie Tak of Carstairs was an overnight guest of Miss Elaine Goetjen on Saturday, and other friends at the Goetjen home were Mr. Jack Boyle and Mr. Willard Rhoad of Penhold and Mr. L. Johnson of Wetaskiwin, and daughter, Marge Goetjen, from east of Didsbury.

On Sunday afternoon the opening of the rink at Westcott took place and a very good crowd, favored with ideal weather conditions, enjoyed the skating and social get-together. Pies and coffee were sold, the ladies of the community having donated these as in previous years, and on the whole the executive of the club feel very grateful for the response they received in their first venture of the season.

The executive wish to inform the public that the ice is now in readiness for skating parties or hockey games at the same schedule of rates as in other seasons. Anyone interested can obtain further information by phoning R904, the Otto Folkman home, Thursday evenings and Sunday afternoons have been set aside for skating only and everyone is welcome.

This correspondent would appreciate your news items, pertaining to this district of course. Phone R903. Thank you, so much.

### THE COMMUNITY PAPER (By Stan Ross)

As one travels about the province of Alberta it is amazing to find the number of local community papers which are being published, but it is not always quite so clear that these local papers are being appreciated in the way that they should be. Possibly it's the case of taking what you have for granted. Sometimes it's a mistaken notion that because a paper is smaller, or because it only publishes once a week, that it can't be as valuable as a daily edition.

It's true that a weekly paper can't provide daily news. It's also true that the radio reaches every community with news and factual material in a way which no newspaper can possibly do. But it is equally true that the community newspapers are the only means of circulating news, community projects and community ideas, and these things are more valuable than many people seem to think.

Actually you might obtain all the world news and ideas there are, but you'd still have poor communities. If there were no method of stirring up community thought and interest concerning community affairs, you could also be cut off from every item of world news and still you would have the best of communities. If you possessed a good local newspaper—and that's the function your town weekly will fill if it is given a chance.

Look at it another way. It's all very well for you people outside of Edmonton to hear our ideas about everything, but after all each community needs to know about a few of its own ideas—and a weekly edition is the only one in a position to reflect the local ideas about many things. He's in touch with his own district. He knows its needs and its feelings which may differ from district to district. He's in the best position to whip up local opinion—and he's in the best position to fight the local battles.

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Lots of drafts coming due these days. (Drafts are those slips of paper sent to the bank by the firms we buy goods from which we sign and hope the bank pays them). Our banker has had a cold all week. He says too many drafts. By the way, we are going to have an overdraft shortly (an overdraft is when your account is in the bank's favor and not your own) if we don't sell all our Christmas stock. Come in and do your bit — you will get your money's worth.

## Law's Drug Store

THE **Rexall** STORE

PHONE 40 — DIDSBURY, ALBERTA

## Little Items of Local Interest

Mrs. Les LeGrand has returned home following a visit of several weeks at the home of her mother in Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Robert E. McMullen and son Barry of Elkton attended the Family Service, Witness and Fellowship commemorating the golden jubilee of the Missionary Society of the Anglican Church, which was held Nov. 23 in the Stompede Corral, Calgary. After visiting with friends bridge to visit relatives there.

The Ladies' Curling Club has changed the date of its annual bonspiel to Jan. 27 and 28.

Miss Janet Block left Thursday for a three week holiday in California.

Mr. Sam Devine has rented his billiard hall to Mr. Booth of Carstairs, who takes over operation on Dec. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Anderson and family have moved into the house vacated by the Ward family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shields and family of Claresholm spent the weekend with relatives in the district.

Miss Betty Rupp of Calgary spent the weekend with her father, Mr. J. W. Rupp.

In the J. V. Bensch & Sons advertisement published in last week's issue, the prices on pajamas should have read \$4.95 to \$7.50, and scarves \$2.95. These prices were mistakenly transposed.

Mr. Wilfred Skerry leaves at the end of the week for Mission City, B.C., where he has accepted a position with The Fraser Valley Record. Mrs. Skerry and family will remain in Didsbury for a few weeks until Mr. Skerry has secured living accommodation.

Miss Dorothy Ringheim has received her diploma in Beauty Culture from the DuBarry course of study in Calgary.

Flooding of the curling rink has been going on steadily during the past week and it is expected the "roarin' game" will be in full swing shortly.

## DIDSBURY HOSPITAL BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hunter of Carstairs, a boy, Nov. 5.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Doug Gooding of Didsbury, a boy, Nov. 8.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Raskam of Carstairs, a girl, Nov. 9.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Abe Penner of Didsbury, a boy, Nov. 11.  
To Mr. and Mrs. L. Neufeld of Didsbury, a boy, Nov. 20.  
To Mr. and Mrs. O. McManis of Didsbury, a boy, Nov. 24.  
To Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw of Carstairs, a girl, Nov. 24.

MR. AND MRS. S. A. LEWIS  
OBSERVE 43RD ANNIVERSARY

The 43rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lewis was celebrated by a surprise gathering at their home Sunday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent by the 23 guests. A delicious buffet supper was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Lewis were presented with a purse and wished many more years of happiness together.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sherick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lewis and son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lewis and family and Miss Goldie Lewis; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McEwen and family of Nanton.

NEW TENANTS LOOK OVER  
QUARTERS IN MANSION

Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower, like any woman intending to move into a new home, plans to look over the place where she and her husband will live after Jan. 20.

The President-elect and Mrs. Eisenhower have a four-year lease on the 54-room mansion at 1690 Pennsylvania Avenue known as the White House.

The White House is a multi-million dollar residence. Twenty-five years ago the District of Columbia tax assessor appraised the house and grounds at \$22,000,000. Just last March repairs and redecorating cost \$5,760,000.

The house now is occupied by a couple from Independence, Mo., the President and Mrs. Harry Truman. Their daughter, Margaret, who is a professional singer and has her own apartment in New York, frequently comes down for the weekend. Mrs. Truman's 90-year-old mother, Mrs. David A. Wallace, lives with them. Although Mrs. Eisenhower was a guest at several official functions at the White House when the general was stationed in Washington, Mrs. Truman thought the new tenants might like to see the family quarters on the second floor.

Tuberculosis is an enemy that can't be appeased and that never surrenders. Fight it with Christmas Seals.

James Nelson of Prevost Motors' staff, who has been a patient in the Didsbury hospital for the past two weeks, has returned home but it will be some time before he is able to get around.

The Midway Ladies' Curling Club has set Feb. 3 as the date for their bonspiel.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Wright of Elkton included Mr. and Mrs. Clara Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Franklin and Wayne of Cremona, Mr. Howard Berscht, Miss Gloria LeVae, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Franklin and Doug, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wright of Calgary.

Mr. Bill Moon, veteran well-driller of the town, was being congratulated on his birth day one day last week, but just how many such anniversaries he has behind him we were unable to ascertain.

NOTICE TO ALL SQUARE DANCE  
CLUB MEMBERS

As the club has been short of its former omph, we are asking the club members to come Monday, Dec. 8 prepared to sign up and pay their dues in advance if they wish to continue dancing at the Melvin Hall in January, February and March; or if (seven) squares would care to sign up, dancing will continue in the Lions Hall in Didsbury during those three months. It is up to You and You.

Members who have not paid the last \$2.50 please do so on or before Monday, Dec. 8.

## Coming Events

—Eric Ratledge, optometrist, associate of K. Roy McLean, announces date of his next visit as Monday, Dec. 8, morning only, at the Rosebud Hotel. Consult in city office, 1014 Greyhound Bldg., daily. 48-2c

A whist drive sponsored by the Burnside Anglican Church will be held in Burnside hall on the evening of Wednesday, Dec. 10. Everybody welcome.

The regular meeting of the Afternoon Group of Knox United Church W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Long Tuesday, Dec. 9, at 2:45 p.m.

The United Church W.A. Groups will hold their annual Bazaar in the United Church basement on Saturday, Dec. 6, at 2:30 p.m. Sale of home cooking, fancy work and aprons. Recipe books, consisting of favorite recipes of members, on sale at 50¢ per copy. C.G.T. members will have a table of stuffed toys and novelties, also sale of Christmas cards. Afternoon tea served. Everybody welcome. 1tc

—Dance at Rugby Hall Friday, Dec. 26. Merry-makers orchestra. 49-1tc

The W.M.S. of Knox United Church will hold its Christmas Thank Offering meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy McArthur on Tuesday evening, Dec. 9, at 8 p.m. Pot luck lunch. Ladies of the congregation will be heartily welcomed.

The Ladies' Sports Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Bill Moon on Thursday, Dec. 4. Members please attend.

—A Square Dance will be held at Rugby hall Saturday, Dec. 13, from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. 49-2tc

The Anglican W.A. ladies held a tea Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack McCloy in honor of Mrs. Wilf Skerry at which Mrs. Joe Freeman presented her with a gift of a china cup and saucer. Mrs. Skerry will leave Didsbury some time in December for Mission City, B.C., where Mr. Skerry has accepted a position with the Fraser Valley Record.

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